## INDUSTRIAL FOREST LANDS

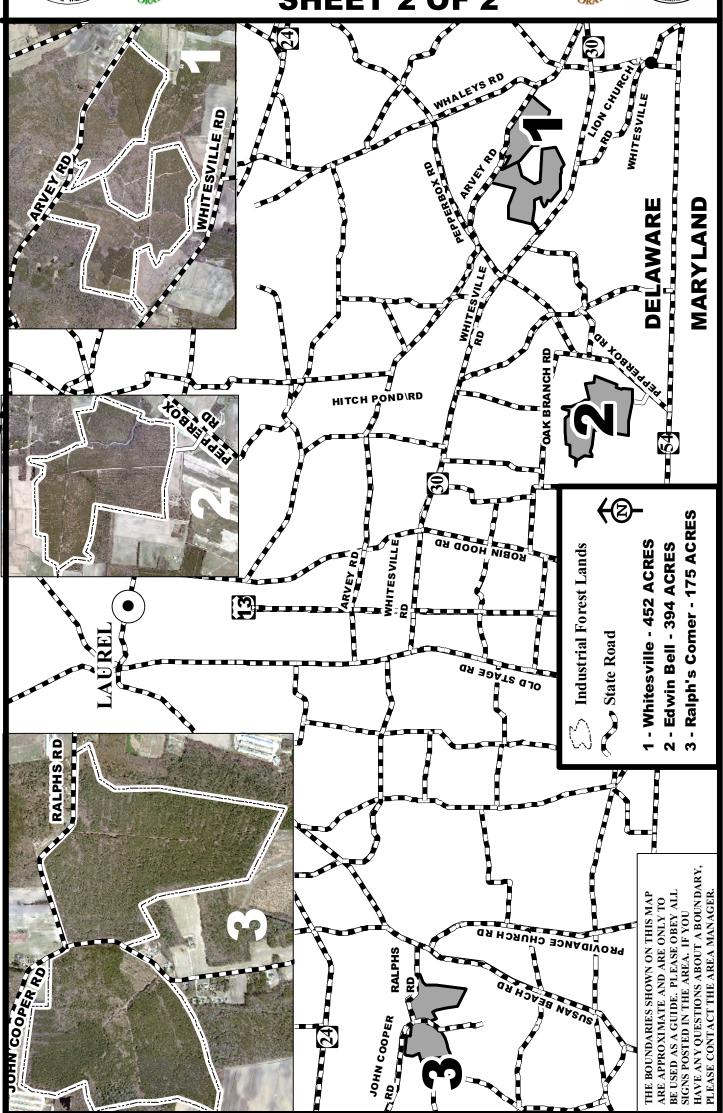




# LAUREL AREA







#### 2008 - 2009

### HUNTING REGULATIONS FOR INDUSTRIAL FOREST LANDS LEASED FOR PUBLIC HUNTING

Persons may hunt on the Industrial Forest Lands tracts only as directed by these rules, which have been established by Regulation 25 of the Division of Fish and Wildlife, pursuant to Section 103, 7 Delaware Code. Violators of wildlife area regulations may be subject to fines and/or revocation of their hunting privilege on state wildlife areas for up to one year.

This public hunting program provides access to private industrial forestlands in Delaware through permanent hunting easements on lands owned by or previously owned by the Glatfelter Pulpwood Company. The State holds perpetual hunting rights to several tracts formerly leased annually (Whitesville, Edwin Bell, and Ralph's Corner & Barr Tract). The regulations on Industrial Forest Lands, Midlands, and Old Furnace are the same. All areas carry the full force of Wildlife Area Regulations.

NEW IN 2008 - Open for special October firearms antlerless season, and handgun deer hunting.

**Special Note** - The Barr Tract Complex is owned by Glatfelter Pulpwood Company and the hunting program is managed by the Division of Fish and Wildlife. The Day and Tunnell Tracts of the Redden State Forest are adjacent to the Barr Tract. Different rules apply on State Forest Lands. Call 856-2893 for State Forest hunting maps/rules.

### Special Use Rules

- 1. No special permit required except to hunt turkey. Turkey hunters must obtain a permit through the pre season lottery. See Delaware Hunting and Trapping Guide for details.
- 2. Raccoon hunting is permitted from September 1 March 31 during legal raccoon hunting seasons.
- 3. Upland game hunting is closed during the December and January firearm deer season. No fox hunting during any deer firearms seasons. Fox chasing prohibited until 1 p.m. during the turkey season.
- 4. No vehicle access off paved roads. No off-highway vehicles, either registered or unregistered, permitted.
- No hunting within 50 yards of area boundary lines.

  Deer drives permitted from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. by a maximum of 6 resident hunters only. Non-residents may not participate in deer drives. Handgun hunting is permitted on these areas.

#### General Use Rules

- 1. No fires, no overnight camping, no littering or dumping.
- No nailed deer stands.
- No permanent stands are allowed and all parts of a portable stand much be removed at the end of each hunting day. No screw-in tree steps or stands may be used because they cause damage to the tree.
- Firearms are prohibited on this area except during legal seasons. Target shooting is prohibited. Call Ommelanden Shooting Range for year-round target shooting is prohibited. Call Omm shooting information at 323-5333.

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For further information, contact the Division of Fish and Wildlife, Dover, Delaware 19901 (telephone 739-9912 or Regional Office at Assawoman - 539-3160).

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